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Related Application Data

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Cross Reference to Related Application

The present application is a continuation in part of "Laser Engraving Methods and Compositions, and Articles Having Laser Engraving Thereon", Serial No. 10/326,886, Attorney Docket No. P0724D, filed December 20, 2002—Inventors Brian Labrec and Robert Jones and [.]

~~This application~~ claims the priority of the following United States Provisional Applications, the contents of which are incorporated hereby by reference in their entirety:

- Identification Document (Application No. 60/471,429, Attorney Docket No. P0833D, filed May 16, 2003—Inventors Robert Jones, Brian Labrec, Daoshen Bi, and Thomas Regan);
- Laser Engraving Methods and Compositions, and Articles Having Laser Engraving Thereon (Application No. 60/504352 ~~not yet assigned~~, Attorney Docket No. P0888D, filed September 19, 2003—Inventors Brian Labrec and Robert Jones); and
- Identification Document with Optical Memory and Related Method of Manufacture (Application No. 60/500,204, Attorney Docket No. P0878D, filed September 3, 2003 –Inventor Robert Jones).

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In the Drawings

Please replace sheets 1-13 as filed (FIGS. 1, 2, 2B-F, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11) with attached replacement sheets 1-13 (FIGs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9A-B, 10A-B, 11A-B, 12A-B, and 13A-B).